

THE LORD'S DAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 4, 2021

"I have seen the Lord." – John 20:18

Easter Sunday

Prelude *Morning Has Broken* Jackie Williams
and John Elmer

Welcome and Announcements Elder John Elmer

Troait When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Call to Worship Elder John Elmer

Leader: The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone. This is the LORD'S
doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

**People: This is the day that the LORD has made,
let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

*Hymn (361) Worship Christ, the Risen King

*Prayer of Adoration and Confession

O Sovereign Lord, life and death are in your hands. You experienced
death in Jesus Christ that we might know life. You raised him up from
the grave that we might never die. Praise to your glorious name.
Forgive us, O Lord, for we are foolish and slow of heart to believe all
that your word has spoken. Cast out our doubt and give us
resurrection faith; for we pray in Christ's name. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon (365) Alleluia! Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to heav'n and voices raise;
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, Sing to God a hymn of praise.
He who on the cross as Savior For the world's salvation bled,
Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, Now is risen from the dead.

Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born;
Glorious life, and life immortal, On this resurrection morn.
Christ has triumphed, and we conquer By His mighty enterprise;
We with Him to life eternal By His resurrection rise.

Special Music Jesus Is Alive and Well John Elmer

Scripture Luke 24:1-12

Sermon "The Third Day" Reverend Dr. Jeff Jones

Special Music To God Be The Glory Becky Sopher

Morning Psalm Psalm 118:1,7,17-18

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever!

**People: The LORD is on my side as my helper;
I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.**

Leader: I shall not die, but I shall live,
and recount the deeds of the LORD.

**People: The LORD has disciplined me severely,
but he has not given me over to death.**

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

*Confession of Faith The Apostle's Creed
**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in
Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose
again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right
hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge
the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic
Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the
resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Hymn In Christ Alone

*Benediction Reverend Dr. Jeff Jones

*Benediction Response (358) Because He Lives (vs. 1)

God sent His Son they called Him Jesus;
He came to love, heal and forgive.
He lived and died to buy my pardon;
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.
Because He lives I can face tomorrow;
Because He lives, all fear is gone.
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living just because He lives.

*Postlude Christ the Lord Is Risen Today Becky, John
Jackie, & Carolyn

*Please stand

Next Lord's Day, April 11, 2021

9:30 am – Session Prayer Time; **9:45 am** – Sunday School;

11:00 am - Worship **Prelude:** Becky Sopher

Worship Assistant:

Elevator Assistant: Eric Mershimier; **Greeters:** Jon & Becky Miller

Prayer for renewed health, strength, and healing: Becky Coyer (back surgery); **Undergoing tests, treatments, or recovery for cancer:** Jay Sloan, Sally Havrilla, Hannah Grivas, Rev. Bill Woodman; **Missionaries:** Steven and Kayla Tini with Child Evangelism of Butler County. **Servicemen and Women, First Responders.**

Pray for those semi homebound / in assisted living / nursing homes: Kathy Barnes, Jan Burnett; Vonda Lumley (Don); Pauline Pearson; Merle Reeseman; Deb Thompson;

The **Easter Offering** will be received this morning and will be given to local needs as determined by the Mission Committee

Next Sunday, April 11, we will observe **The Lord's Supper** in Worship. Please be in preparation for this holy occasion.

The Evangelism Committee is sponsoring an **Indoor Movie Night** on April 16 at 7:00 pm. We will be watching the Movie "Same Kind of Different As Me."

The Trustees are having a **Work Day** on Saturday, April 24, beginning at 8:00 am and finishing with lunch together. It is the Lord's house. Let's show our love.

The Week of April 4, 2021

Monday	10:00 am	Baby Quilting
Wednesday	6:00 am	Men's Prayer Time
Thursday	7:30 pm	Deacon's Meeting
Saturday	9:00 am	Book Club (Note change of date)

Office Hours This Week: Pastor Jeff will be out of the office this week. Hayden will be in the office Wednesday and Thursday 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Hours may vary due to work, vacations or unforeseen circumstances.

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Worship Christ, the Risen King

Rise, O Church, and lift your voices;
Christ has conquered death and hell.
Sing as all the earth rejoices;
Resurrection anthems swell.
Come and worship, come and worship;
Worship Christ, the risen King!

See the tomb where death had laid Him;
Empty now, its mouth declares:
“Death and I could not contain Him,
For the Throne of life He Shares.”
Come and worship, come and worship;
Worship Christ, the risen King!

Hear the earth protest and tremble;
See the stone removed with pow’r.
All hell’s minions may assemble,
But cannot withstand His hour.
He has conquered, He has conquered;
Christ the Lord, the risen King!

Doubt may lift its head to murmur,
Scoffers mock and sinners jeer;
But the truth proclaims a wonder
Tho’tful hearts receive with cheer.
He is risen, He is risen;
Now receive the risen King!

We acclaim Your life, O Jesus;
Now we sing Your victory.
Sin and hell may seek to seize us,
But Your conquest keeps us free.
Stand in triumph, stand in triumph;
Worship Christ, the risen King!

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found;
he is my light, my strength, my song-
this cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My comforter, my all in all,
here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh-
fullness of God in helpless babe!-
this gift of love and righteousness,
scorned by the ones he came to save.
‘Til on the cross as Jesus died,
the wrath of God was satisfied.
For every sin on Him was laid;
here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay,
light of the world by darkness slain;
then, bursting forth in glorious day
up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory,
sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;
for I am his and he is mine,
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
this is the power of Christ in me;
from life’s first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no human plan,
can ever pluck me from his hand;
‘til he returns or calls me home,
here in the power of Christ I’ll stand!